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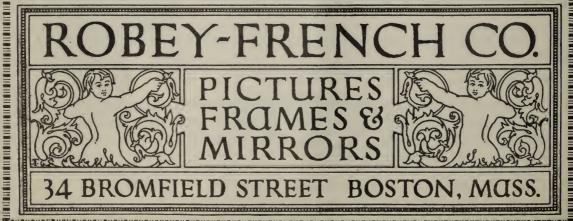
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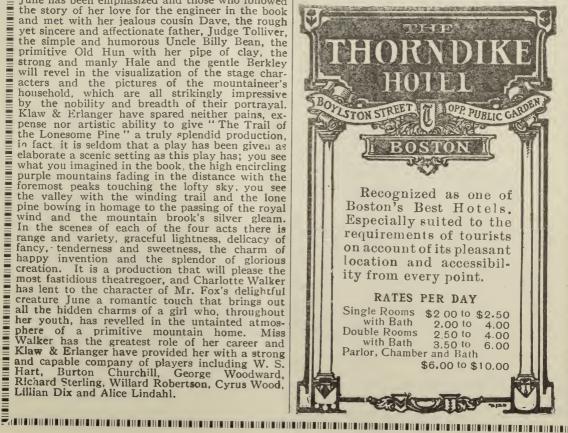
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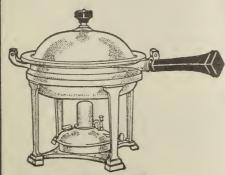
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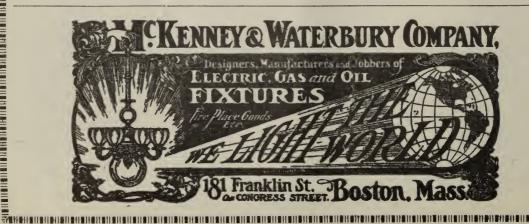
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"Sex"

"What Woman Wills"

"Lady Patricia"

"Preserving Mr. Panmure"

" Papa" " The Actress"

"The Marionettes" "The Fire Screen"

"The Uninvited Guest"

#### David Belasco's Attractions

David Warfield in "The Return of Peter Grimm"

"The Concert" with the original cast Blanche Bates in "Nobody's Widow" Frances Starr in "The Case of Becky" Nance O'Neil

"The Woman"

"The Governor's Lady"

#### Henry B. Harris' Attractions

"The Country Boy"
Rose Stahl in "Maggie Pepper" Robert Edeson in "The Arab" Elsie Ferguson in "Dolly Madison" Frank McIntyre in "Snobs" "The Commuters"
Helen Ware

"Filette"

"The Wild Olive"

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Charlotte Walker in "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine"

Henry Miller in "The Havoc"

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" Home "

"The Fortune Hunter"

"Ready Money"

#### Charles Dillingham's Attractions

Elsie Janis in "The Slim Princess" Thomas A. Wise and John Barrymore In " Uncle Sam " Montgomery & Stone in "The Old Town"

Eddie Foy in "Over the River" Emmy Wehlen

#### Harrison Gray Fiske's Attractions

Mrs. Fiske in "Mrs. Bumstead-Leigh" Mrs. Fiske in "The New Marriage" Otis Skinner in "Kismet"

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#### List of Attractions — Continued

#### Frazee & Lederer's Attractions

Richard Carle and Edna Wallace Hopper "Madam Sherry" with Lina Abarbanell Victor Moore

Louise Dresser in "A Lovely Liar"

"The Clairvoyant"

"Jimmy, Jr."
"The Girl and the Canary"

"Partners"

"The Master of the House"

#### A. H. Woods' Attractions

Julian Eltinge in "The Fascinating Widow "

Marguerita Sylva in "Gypsy Love"
Dustin and William Farnum in "The Littlest Rebel

" Madam Sherry

"The Widow Wise" "Tantalizing Tommy"

"The Forbidden Kiss"

"The Pretty Little Milliner"

"The Girl in the Taxi"

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Guy Bates Post in "The Challenge"

"Modest Suzanne" "The Grey Hound"

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"Waiter!" roared the diner.

The waiter looked intently out of the chops and his chips and his napkin, and Alphonse had had about enough of him.

" Waiter!"

Reluctantly Alphonse moved over.

Just look at the color of this water, growled the diner. "It's not waiter," fit to drink.

Critically the waiter raised the glass to the light and examined it. Then, triumph-

antly he sat it down again.

"No, sir, you're deceiving yourself, sir, "he said kindly, "The water's perfectly all right, sir. It's the glass what's dirty!"

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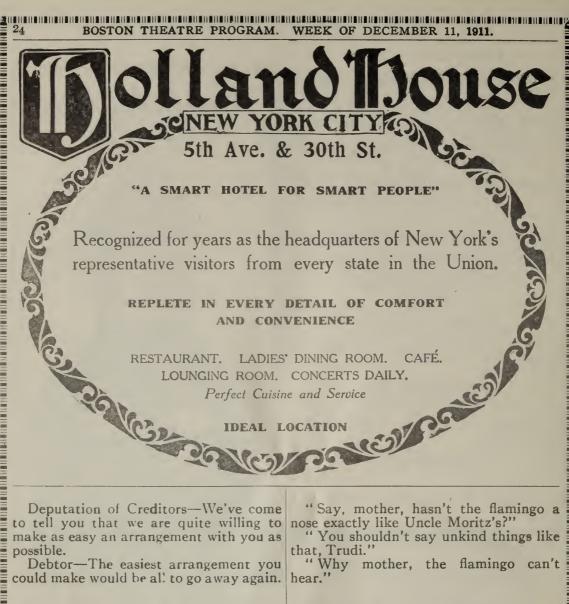


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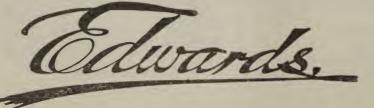
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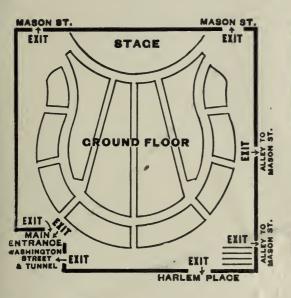


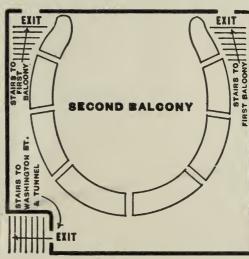
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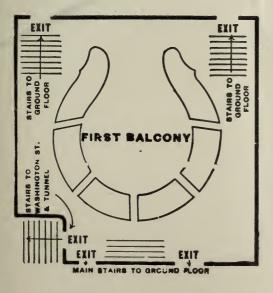
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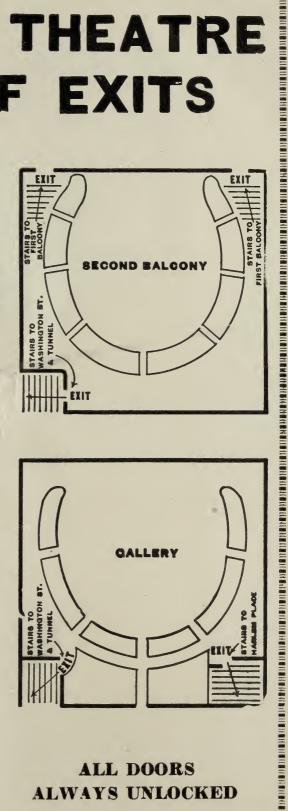
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